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PITH AND POINT.

—They are making the new system of pillars so high that before long young men will have to stand on tip toes to see anything at all.—N. Y. Graphic.

—The base-ball man's salary is henceforth to be not over \$2,000. We fear only men with common-school educations can be obtained for this sum.—Boston Post

—According to a correspondent "the

—The United States has nearly three times as many doctors as England and nearly four times as many as France in proportion to the population. Does

—At a social gathering on Austin avenue Hostetter McGinnis, who is a great wag, said to Miss Esmerelda: "You would not believe."

Miss Esmerelda, what conquests I've made among the fair sex. You would believe it." "I don't," replied Miss Esmerelda. — *Texas Signings.*  
— Humanity owes to Zola When  
debt of gratitude to Emu Zola.

parrows and eat them. Now any man who will come to America and eat English sparrows can secure steady employment at good wages and will be hailed as a public benefactor.—*Brooklyn Eagle*.

me introduce my friend, Major Enderby. He is most anxious to know you." The Major—"Believe me, madame, this is an honor I have long looked forward to. I remember listening with rapture to your 'Marguerite' when I was a mere boy." His acquaintance with Mme.

—“My dear fellow,” says an Indiana Sheriff to his prisoner, “I must apologize to you for the sanitary condition of this jail. Several of the prisoners are down with the measles, but I assure you that it is not my fault. “Oh, no ex-

—Athletic Note: "There is a man on our street afflicted with a bad case of the foot-and-mouth disease," remarked Ebenezer Jones to a young physician of his acquaintance. "I'm a little" said the

young doctor. "I never heard of a human being taking that disease." "But he has it, undoubtedly." "What are the symptoms?" "Why, he thinks he is a champion pedestrian, and he is always talking about it."—*Pittsburgh Chronicle.*

—Important information. A professor at the University of Texas was explaining some of the habits and customs of the ancient Greeks to his class. "The ancient Greeks built no roof over their theaters," said the professor. "What did the ancient Greeks do when

The professor took off his spectacles, polished them with his handkerchief, and replied calmly: "They got wet, I suppose."—*Texas Siftings.*

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**THE JUDGE CAVED.**

As we rode out from a town in Mississippi to view a plantation a commercial traveler for a New York house expressed a desire to go along. He promised a horse and joined the party, and

his company was welcomed. A mile and a half from town we came to a notice, posted on a board, and everybody stopped to read it. It was a notice of Sheriff's sale, and the colored man who tacked it up was still on the ground.

"What's wrong wid dat notis?" asked the colored man in a very edgy voice.

"Dat's me, sah. I'm a Constable an' I writ dat off."

"Oh, you did? Well, I hope the c-a-f will be sold."

"Yes, sah. You come along wid me, sah!"

"Yes, sah. I rest you, sah!"

"What for?"

"Contempt of court, sah! Come right along."

"Where?"

"Befo' de Justiss, sah! We'll see

The drummer was advised against resistance and finally permitted himself to be taken before a colored Justice nearly two miles from the spot. The Constable had picked up a colored man on the way, who made and swore to a complaint, and the drummer was duly ar-

“Your Honor, who is this court?”  
“I is, sah,” was the dignified reply.

The old man scratched his head, opened a law book wrong side up, and mumbled:

"Where do I? Why, in de law."

"Which one?"  
 "De one at home."  
 "I take exceptions, your Honor, and shall carry this case to the Supreme Court," said the Colonel.  
 "Ump! Dat alters de case." De prisoner was discharged from his fine.

one dollar, an' de constable an' line two dollars for making a fool of hisself an' gettin' dis court 'all twisted up in a hard knot afore white folks!"--*Intero Free Press.*